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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—A strong boy at the White House. sep20-3t

Queen City Building Loan and Saving Association.

The fourth annual general meeting of the shareholders of the above association will be held in the Sir William Wallace Society's Hall, Broad street, on Saturday, the 29th September, 1894, at 8 p.m.

BUSINESS:

To receive the report of the Board of Directors and the statement of the Secretary; to elect officers for the ensuing year and the dispatch of such other business as may come before the meeting. By order,

R. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.

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JAPS CLAIM THE FIGHT.

They Hold That the Chinese Were Worsted in the Naval Battle.

The Chinese Fleet Returned to Port in a Badly Crippled Condition.

London, Sept. 20.—A Yokohama dispatch says the Japanese claim to have won a victory in the engagement with the Chinese fleet at Yalu. Another Shanghai dispatch states that the Japanese army which defeated the Chinese at Ping Yang and captured that city are marching towards Wi Ju, from which point they will proceed to Monk Den.

The Times, commenting on the Japanese-Chinese war, says the Chinese admiral by his inactivity has handed over Corea to Japan and occasioned the loss of the only trained force at Li Hung Chang's disposal.

Every hour adds to the crushing character of the Chinese defeat at Ping Yang. The total Chines loss is now said to be over seventeen thousand killed, wounded and prisoners. The Chinese prisoners who are not wounded number 14,500. It is probable that this number will be increased during the next few wdays by the prisoners who are constantly being brought in by Japanese cavalry. Besides General Tso Fook Pai, commander in chief of the Manchurian army, who surrendered only when badly wounded, the Japanese captured Generals Tso Paok Woi, Wei Ink Wei, Nayn Kow Eng and Sei Kin Leu, practically all the effective Chinese staff.

An imperial edict has been issued depriving Viceroy Li Hung Chang of his three eyed peacock feather because of his mismanagement of the Corean campaign. Sataoti Shang, it is reported, is intriguing against Li Hung Chang through the emperor's favorite teacher. The Japanese are rapidly advancing upon Mookden. It is reported that Viceroy Li Hung Chang will be deposed.

A Shanghai dispatch dated to-day says the Chinese warships engaged in the naval battle at Yalu were the Ting Yuen, Chin Yuen, Pang Yuen, Lai Yuen, King Yuen, Chin Yuen, Isi Yuen, Chao Yung, Yang Wei, Kuang Hai, Kuang Ping and four torpedo boats. This fleet was convoying six transports loaded with troops en route to reinforce the Chinese at Yi Chow. The attacking Japanese fleet consisted of nineteen vessels. The Chinese fought hard until dusk, when the Japanese retired, supposedly on account of lack of ammunition. The Japanese warships Abassima and Yoshima and the transports Saikio were damaged, but to what extent has not been learned. The Chinese fleet with the exception of the King Yuen, Chin Yuen, Chao Yung and Yang Wei returned to Wei Hai Wei with the transports. All the vessels were greatly damaged. It is reported that the transport Toonan was lost. The Chinese fleet will proceed to Port Arthur for repairs. Admiral Ting and Col. Hanneken were slightly wounded. A private dispatch says nine Japanese and twelve Chinese warships were engaged. The dispatch also says that while the Chinese lost four ships the Japanese lost none, though the fleet sustained considerable injury.

Commenting on the Yalu river engagement, the Times says that unless the result is wholly different from what it appears the troops which were hastily landed must be in a helpless state, and adds that it is doubtful if the Chinese naval and military leaders will ever recover the advantages they forfeited by their inaptitude and delay in execution.

A dispatch from Ha Moi, the capital of Tonquin, says an unsuccessful attempt was made to wreck a train from Langson by pirates. The engineer was killed. The pirates were driven off.

NEWS OF CALIFORNIA.

Arrival of a Distinguished Roman Catholic Prelate.

San Francisco, Sept. 20.—Jeptha B. Randolph, of Oakland, has, for some months been the Pacific coast representative of the American Immigration Restriction League, which has its headquarters in New York, and which is about to establish branches on the Pacific coast. In speaking of the organization Randolph said: "The organization is wholly unpartizan and all over the union branches are being established. Our ultimate purpose is to effect national legislation which will restrict immigration. It has been proposed that the coming of undesirable immigrants shall be prevented in part by requiring an educational qualification of all who embark for America. The greatest thinkers of the nation are at the head of the league and I hope to organize a branch here soon."

The state central committee of the People's party of California have extended an invitation to Governor Pennoyer of Oregon and to Senators Stewart and Jones of Nevada to stump the state for the Populists. Pennoyer and Stewart, it is probable, will accept the invitation, but it is doubtful if Jones will favor the idea.

Among the passengers who arrived on the steamship Ocean was Monsignor Philibert Termaza, a distinguished prelate of the Roman Catholic church. He is making a tour of the world on a mission confided to him by the pope, which is to examine into mission work of the church throughout the world. He has been to the far east and the islands of the Pacific Ocean. From here he will in a few days go north to Portland and Vancouver and cross the continent by way of the Canadian Pacific.

BRIEF LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—Cool Milwaukee beer on draught at the Delmonico hotel; 5 cents a glass.

—Evening work in the canneries was suspended to-day on account of the rain.

—The Canadian-Australian line steamer Arawa sailed from Sydney yesterday morning for Suva, Honolulu, Victoria and Vancouver.

—The Jackson gambling case, after dragging along for weeks, was concluded yesterday afternoon, and judgment will be given on Saturday.

—There has been a fair sale of seats for the Blind Tom performance. All doubts as to the genuineness of the performer are set aside by articles in the papers of Seattle, where many people who saw the man before immediately recognized him.

—C. A. Gardner, of Dewdney, who came down from the north on the steamer Danube yesterday, is looking for a roll of bills amounting to $203, which he lost this morning. He visited a number of stores making purchases, and thinks that he left the money in one of the shops.

—Mary Droysdowitz was in the police court this morning, charged with a breach of the public health act. Her old horse, which got her into trouble once before, lay down and died a couple of days ago, and she left it right in the yard where it had died. She was convicted and fined $10 and $2 costs.

—Trade on the coast steamers has fallen off during the last few weeks. Very few passengers are booked to leave for San Francisco to-night. Among those from Victoria are John Stevens, Mrs. F. B. Williams, C. W. Thompson and wife, A. McCuay, W. H. Dorman, J. G. Van Rign and wife, and D. L. Lauder.

—The ladies' aid of the Central Presbyterian church held a very successful concert in their hall last evening. The Euphonia Orchestra club made its first appearance in Victoria, lady members playing the cornet and flute. Professor Wickens and Messrs. Mitchell, Gordon and Rowlands and Mrs. Starr took part.

—The committee in charge of the awarding of the contracts for the winter uniforms and shoes for the police have let the contracts as follows: One chief's uniform at $34.50 and three sergeants' uniforms at $32 to Thomas & Grant; 19 constables' uniforms at $28 apiece to Walter D. Kinnaird, and 22 pairs of shoes at $6 apiece to Henry Mansell.

—After all it is quite likely that Auditor James L. Raymur and not water works foreman James Preece will be made water commissioner. The two were before rome of the members of the council a few days ago for a conference in which the matter was discussed. Mr. Preece said that he would be better pleased to be left in charge of the outside work and Mr. Raymur said that he doubted if he could enforce collections unless he had all the authority of commissioner. A motion covering the matter will very likely be bulletined to-day.

—The Sound papers published a story to the effect that C. W. Chantrell, the waiter who was drowned from the steamer Idaho at Seattle, has relatives residing in Victoria. It is said he came from a wealthy French family, the home of which is in St. Germain, France. For some cause not known the dead man's family came to British Columbia twenty-one years ago, and, according to the story of his son had plenty of opportunities to have been one of the wealthiest men in Victoria. He drank, however, and on one nigth alone he is said to have spend $3000. The son, who now lies at the morgue, inherited the desire for drink, and when he received money from his mother in France, his father having been dead for some time, he never stopped until it was spent, always in the same old way, for whiskey. Chantrell was a clever man with the pen and could make clever sketches. He also had a mania for poetry, and according to his friends would repeat verse after verse at the slightest provocation. No one could be found in Victoria who knew Chantrell or remembered his father.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
Awarded Gold Medal Midwinter Fair, San Francisco.

ODD FELLOWS IN SESSION.

Large Number of Important Decisions Reported by the Grand Sire.

Remarkable Progress Made by the Order in European Countries.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 20.—The delegates to the Sovereign Grand Lodge of Oddfellows have already listened to a large number of important reports. One showed that the condition of the order abroad was extremely satisfactory and that remarkable progress had been made in Germany. Grand Sire Campbell eulogized Garibaldi lodge of Texas which has translated and printed the ritual at its own expense. Speaking of the work in Europe, he said that the social and political conditions of the various nationalities in that country differed so materialy from the conditions characteristic in the United States and Canada that if the American Oddfellows were to retain close relations with their brethren across the seas it was absolutely necessary to have stationed abroad in an official position a brother well versed in Oddfellowship and in full harmony with American and European Oddfellows.

The Grand Sire reported that the only section throughout the entire jurisdiction where peace and harmony did not prevail was in the state of Kansas, where certain members had been disciplined for refusing to pay an assessment and had appealed to the civil courts with the result that the superior court had enjoined the grand master from further proceedings. The grand sire referred the entire matter to the Sovereign Grand Lodge without recommendation. The report on homes and orphanages stated that in no department of the work had there been so decided a progress. Illinois has a home with 80 children, New York has provided an additional home, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Kansas, Texas and Wisconsin al have excellent homes for the aged and the orphans in active operation, while many other jurisdictions are accumulating funds and preparing buildings for simlar work. This afternoon Richard Hoe of Wisconsin presided over the reunion of the grand secretaries and grand scribes association and an oration was delivered by J. M. Norman of Colorado.

LATE CABLE NEWS.

Belgian Parliament Dissolved by Royal Decree.

London, Sept. 20.—The betrothal of Miss Muriel Wilson and Lord Eresberry, M. P., has been cancelled. The cause is not stated. Miss Wilson is the daughter of Wilson of Tranby Croft, at whose house the celebrated baccarat scandal arose.

Brussels, Sept. 19.—A royal decree dissolving the Belgian parliament has been issued.

Law Intelligence.

The following were the applications disposed of by Mr. Justice Drake this morning:

B. C. Cattle Company v. Van Volkenburg.—Application of plaintiff for leave to sign final judgment under order xiv. Application dismissed with costs in the cause. J. A. Aikman for defendant. C. W. Ward (P. & L.) for plaintiffs.

Re John Gilmore, deceased, Beaven and Ors. v. Gilmore.—Application of the plaintiffs that defendant file accounts within fourteen days. Order made that defendant file accounts within three weeks. A. Crease (B. & I.) for plaintiff, J. A. Aikman for defendant.

McKinnon v. Snowden.—Application of defendant for leave to amend defence. Order made allowing amendments on terms. E. V. Bodwell for defendant, D. M. Eberts for plaintiff.

Sehl-Hastie-Erskine Furniture Co. v. William Croft.—Application for judgment under order xiv. Order made on condition that plaintiff file affidavit of service of summons. J. A. Aikman for plaintiffs. Unopposed.

There were other applications set down, but they were put off for another week.

Brief Locals.

—Arthur Fears, held for insanity, has been discharged by the city police.

—Do you drink beer? Drink the best Milwaukee, five cents at the Delmonico hotel.

—There will be a rehearsal of the amateur minstrels at Pioneer Hall this evening.

—There were three drunks in the police court this morning and one of them had the extra charge of disorderly conduct against him. They were fined $5 apiece.

—The charge of selling whiskey to Indians preferred by the Indian crew of the sealer C. D. Rand against Captain Westerlund, master of the schooner, is being heard in the provincial police court this afternoon.

—Ald. Humphrey has a notice on the bulletin board to-day of a motion covering the coining school election to fill the place of ex-Trustee Yates. It fixes the dates and designates the nominating and polling place as already described.

Bankrupt Stock of
Clothing, Gents' Furnishings, Knitting wools, etc., at Russell & McDonald's.

AT THE FAIR.

Preparations for British Columbia Day On Saturday.

Tacoma, Sept. 19.—During the past few weeks a large quantity of bonded exhibits have arrived for the various foreign exhibitors at the interstate fair. A big consignment came in direct from Liverpool yesterday consisting of a magnificent display of cut and other glassware. It includes some exquisite specimens of cut glass work and ware of all shapes that may be manufactured. These goods are the manufacture of famous English houses. Another recent consignment was a quantity of beautiful jewelry from Italy, including shell work, filagree, cameos and delicate inlaid ornaments. A large quantity of brass and other metal work was also received. The brass work is especially fine, consisting of beautiful hammered placques, vases and jars. The foreign section has been steadily growing of late and is now one of the most notable features of the fair. Including as it does sixteen different sections from as many different countries it gives the fair a cosmopolitan appearance.

The fire works display on the evening of British Columbia day, next Saturday, is to be a magnificent affair. Assistant Director-General Gorman, who has charge of the arrangements, promises to make it the grandest illumination ever seen in the northwest. The fair management is taking especial pains to make British Columbia day the great day of the season and are sparing no expense to make the programme unique and complete in every respect.

By request of the citizens of Portland the date of Portland day at the fair has been changed from October 4 to October 6th.

A picture that is attracting much attention from those interested in the history of the northwest has just been added to the art department. The artist is Ray Coombs, a talented young Scot there. The subject is Admiral Vancouver's famous ship, the Discovery, as she lay at anchor off Blakely rocks, Puget Sound, in May, 1792. The ship was drawn from old sketches in the possession of Judge James Wickersham, a noted student of northwest history. According to the log of the Discovery, as published in Vancouver's voyages, the vessel lay at anchor off Blakely rocks and Bainbridge Island during the month named, while Vancouver and his officers completed the exploration of the Sound. With this information the artist has been enabled to faithfully portray the surrounding scenery from the exact spot where the vessel lay. The picture is one of great artistic excellence. The peculiar atmospheric effect characteristic of Puget Sound scenery has been caught by the artist with the utmost accuracy. The quaint old ship, with the British jack, a brilliant mass of colors, at her stern, and her sails spread out to dry, makes a striking and pleasing picture.

A. P. A. SCORED.

Opening of the Ohio Democratic Convention.

Columbus, Sept. 19.—The Democratic state convention met at 10:30. Hon. Frank H. Hurd was chosen temporary chairman and made a lengthy speech in which he congratulated the Democrats on the passage of the new tariff bill. He denounced the McKinley law, lauded Cleveland for his determined stand for tariff reform and accredited Brice with having helped the adoption of the free wool clause by not opposing it. Hurd closed with a bitter denunciation of the A. P. A., which he characterized as un-American and un-Democratic. When Hurd concluded the platform was read. It endorsed the principles embodied in the National Democratic platform. It declares protection a fraud and congratulates the country on the repeal of the McKinley law, to which it attributes the depression. It is declared that silver should be restored to the position it occupied prior to its demoralization by the Republican party, and favors unlimited free coinage at a ratio of 16 to 1.

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Delegate Lewis, speaking to a resolution offered by Tom Johnson, favoring the announcement by the state central committee in 1895 of a candidate for U. S. senator, appealed to the convention to defer the resolution for a year. He declared that the senator who had been assaulted was entitled to their consideration. During Lewis's remarks Brice sat in full view of the audience nervously chewing a toothpick.

Delegate Clark in his speech vigorously attacked the United States senate. He said that it had become a mere rich man's club and resting place of trusts, understandings and combines to defeat the rights of the people.

Several tried to howl him down and at times pandemonium prevailed. Johnson's senatorial resolution was defeated.

REGULATORS ROUTED.

Sheriff Pounces on Them As They Are About To Act.

New Orleans, Sept. 19.—For some time a party of regulators, young white men from 18 to 25 years old, have been going through parts of Vermillion parish whipping and otherwise "regulating" negroes who were obnoxious to them. Sheriff Leblanc determined recently to break up the regulators. Hearing that under the leadership of Marshall Duhomne they proposed to "regulate" a negro named Newton Jones, the sheriff, with a posse of deputies, lay in wait on Saturday night last. When Duhomne and his gang came in sight, all armed and masked, the sheriff pounced on them and captured the entire party, nine in number. Meanwhile Newton Jones, hearing of their proposed visit, had collected his friends and lay in ambush for the regulators, not knowing that the sheriff was also after them. When the party had returned to Abbeville and was about two miles from the town, the negroes opened fire on the gang from ambush, firing only two shots. They killed two of the regulators, Romare and Shexnaydre, and narrowly missed the sheriff. As soon as the ambushers found that it was a sheriff's posse they fled.

METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Election of Officers for the Ensuing Term.

London, Sept. 19.—The Methodist General Conference elections resulted as follows: Dr. Carman, general superintendent; Dr. Potts, educational secretary; Rev. H. M. Aiken, missionary treasurer; Dr. Sutherland, missionary secretary; D. Withrow, editor of the magazine; Rev. A. C. Courtice, editor of the Guardian. The committee on conference boundaries recommended that the work of the six conferences in Ontario and Quebec be reconstructed and formed into five. After considerable debate the motion was carried by the necessary two-thirds vote, the vote standing 107 for and 41 against. Rev. Dr. Stewart introduced the following delegates from the Presbyterian General Assembly: Rev. Dr. Cochrane, Brantford; Rev. J. A. Murray of London, and Mr. John Cameron of the London Advertiser, as elder. These gentlemen were enthusiastically received, and addressed the conference in a happy and appropriate way. A resolution was passed thanking them for their kind words.

COMMERCIAL COMPANY'S SUIT.

Lloyd Levis Says the Suit is a Friendly One.

San Francisco, Sept. 19.—The suit of the United States against the North American Commercial company, recently entered in the circuit court of New York, is of considerable interest to the people of this coast. The government has put in a claim for $130,187.50 against the commercial company, alleging a breach of contract and the failure of the commercial company to pay the annual rental of $60,000 a year, plus the $9.62 1-2 for each seal killed, as stipulated in the contract. Lloyd Levis, who is president of the North American Commercial company, says that the suit is a friendly one, and that it was brought by agreement in the New York court for the convenience of the government, and in order, too, that an earlier hearing might be had.

"The suit has been brought so that a basis of settlement between the company and the government may be reached," said Mr. Levis, "and we expect to have a decision from the supreme court some time this fall. The government's claim against us is for something over $130,000, being for the rental of two seal islands leased to us. In our answer we claim damages against the government to the amount of $283,725. Of course the question is how can the government owe us money for seals that we failed to catch? But the answer is not far to seek. Under the terms of the contract we were allowed to kill sixty thousand seals the first year and one hundred thousand each succeeding year during the twenty years of the lease. Now during the first year we killed less than twenty thousand seals, owing to the regulations enforced upon us by the federal government.

"During the second year we were permitted to take no seals at all. This was because of international complications and the operation of what was called the modus vivendi. The government itself killed seven thousand five hundred seals for the sustenance of natives during the year and sold us the hides. Our claim is that it was the government itself who broke the contract with the North American Commercial company, and that therefore we are entitled to the damages named in our answer to the suit. Of course we killed these seven thousand five hundred seals that were slain for food, but we killed them for the government and under its direction. They were not killed under the terms of the contract, but the contract was abrogated entirely while the modus vivendi was in operation, hence our loss was considerable. We have refused to pay the rental of $60,000 a year, because, as we hold, the contract has been invalidated by the government. The seven thousand five hundred seals slain for food were as nothing to our company. We had a right to expect to take one hundred thousand seals a year, and when this right was denied us the contract with the government ceased to exist."

A DUEL WITH ROPE ENDS.

A Method of Getting Satisfaction More Dangerous than in Vogue in France.

An interesting duel is said to have taken place in Brussels between two young men. They were enamored of the same young lady, who for a time regarded them with equal favor. However, after considerable hesitation she made her choice. The unsuccessful suitor, furious with jealousy, challenged his rival to a duel, and proposed that each should be armed with a piece of rope, and that they should thrash each other as long as they could hold out. The challenge was accepted, and the combatants met. The fight, however, had not been long in progress when the police came along and stopped it. Both "duellists" were covered with blood. The challenger had the worst of the encounter, his face being a mass of bruises. But if rope ends are permissible, why not fists?

Word comes from all quarters that the neatest and most satisfactory dye for coloring the beard a brown or black is Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers.

Smoke Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco. Made only by D. Ritchie & Co., the only organized "Union" Plug Tobacco Factory in Canada.

THE TERMINAL CITY.

Crooks Continue Their Calling—Manager Goldsmid Failing.

Vancouver, Sept. 19.—Crooks and highwaymen are still at work. Last night the residence of Mr. Errington, a laborer, was entered and $350 secured from a trunk. J. Durgan was held up on Hastings street and relieved of $4, and other robberies are reported. It is now stated that Fi Man, the Chinese vegetable vendor, was murdered by highbinders.

C. P. R. officials deny that the company intend to run their Australian or Oriental steamers to the Sound. They also say that the company has not purchased the Haytien Republic.

Mr. Goldsmid, manager of the Vancouver opera house, is failing fast. His wife and family are on their way from England.

Vancouver sportsmen have been shooting deer since September 1st, whereas the season did not open until the 15th. Several cases will be prosecuted.

There are prospects of the Westminster council again taking up the B. I. & F. V. R. bridge scheme. C. D. Rand has produced evidence that he is financially prepared to go ahead with construction, and offers to put up $100,000 as a guarantee of good faith.

NOT RECONCILED.

Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt Still Separated.

New York, Sept. 19.—A special to the Recorder from Newport says: Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt are not reconciled. The best information obtainable is that they never will be. The housekeeper at Marble House arrived to-night and took general charge. She said that Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt had not sailed from Europe, but would reach here in about ten days. She did not know just when she would leave, however. She further stated that only Mrs. Vanderbilt and her family would come. Mr. Vanderbilt, it was understood, had shown no desire to join Mrs. Vanderbilt on the trip across or in the visit to Newport, and he was probably entirely uninformed as to his wife's movements. There is much talk of Mrs. Vanderbilt's coming here for a divorce, but there is nothing to back this up.

EZETA'S PLANS.

General Revolution of all Central America Proposed.

New York, Sept. 19.—A special from San Salvador says: There is considerable excitement here over the news from San Francisco that the steamer San Blas arrived too late to allow of the presentation of the evidence sent from here, which it is believed would have secured the surrender of Antonio Ezeta. The refusal to accept the testimony is regarded here as an attempt to shield Ezeta and his companions. Some of Ezeta's friends here say they sent powerful testimony in his favor by the same steamer. It is rumored that the government is in possession of proof that Antonio Ezeta had a secret arrangement with Vasquez to revolutionize all Central America, and that Carlos Ezeta and some rich Americans are in it. The plan is to have Antonio Ezeta invade Guatemala, entering from the north, where there is much discontent among the people, and thence to march south, joined by the Guatemalan malcontents.

General Cordova, who arrived from Costa Rica a few days ago, has been in consultation with public men, and he denies that Vasquez wants to take part in a general Central American revolution. President Barrios, of Guatemala, is said to have proposed to President Gutierrez that Salvador join Guatemala in resisting the claims of Mexico, and that Gutierrez refused.

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I have a good appetite, feel as strong as ever I did, and enjoy perfect rest at night. I have much pleasure in recommending Hood's Sarsaparilla." CHARLES STEELE, with Erie Preserving Co., St. Catherine's, Ontario.

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Hood's Pills are prompt and efficient, yet easy in action. Sold by all druggists. 25c.

Mortgagee's Sale.

Under instructions from Alexander Urquhart, executor of Donald Urquhart deceased, the mortgagee, and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage bearing date the second day of December, 1890, and made between Thomas Stamper Milligan, late of Victoria, B. C., of the one part and Donald Urquhart, of Victoria, B. C., of the other part, tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon of Friday, the 12th day of October for the purchase of all that certain parcel or tract of land being the western half (W 1-2) of all that parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the city of Victoria and marked and numbered Lot No. Two (2), on the official map of Medina Grove deposited in the Land Registry Office at Victoria aforesaid on the 27th day of September, A.D. 1890, being the sub-division map or plan of sub-sections XVIII, XIX, XXI, and XXII, the said Medina Grove being now better known as Beckley Farm and the premises herein described as the western half (W 1-2) of Lot Two (2) of Section 19 thereof. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Dated the 11th day of September, 1894.

S. PERRY MILLS,
46 Langley Street, Victoria,
Solicitor for Alexander Urquhart,
Executor of D. Urquhart, deceased.

Mortgagee's Sale.

Under instructions from Alexander Urquhart, executor of Donald Urquhart deceased, the mortgagee, and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage bearing date the 7th day of April, 1892, and made between John Leonard of Victoria city, B. C., of the one part and Donald Urquhart of Victoria city aforesaid of the other part, tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon on Friday, the 12th day of October, for the purchase of all that and those pieces or parcels of land situate in Victoria city known as sub-lots numbers (23) twenty-three, (24) twenty-four, (29) twenty-nine and (30) thirty, being a subdivision of section (24) twenty-four, according to a plan of sub-division of sections 24, 25, 26, and 27, Spring Ridge, deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, numbered 390 and the dwelling house and buildings thereon. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated the 11th day of September, 1894.

S. PERRY MILLS,
46 Langley Street, Victoria, B. C.
Solicitor for Alexander Urquhart, executor of D. Urquhart, deceased. s11-1m

Notice of Assignment.

Pursuant to the Creditors' Trust Deeds Act and amending Acts notice is hereby given that by indenture dated and executed on the 27th day of August, 1894, by Eli Beam, of 130 St. Catharine street, in the city of Victoria, contractor, the said Eli Beam granted and assigned his real and personal property to John Fullerton, of 103 Government street, in the said city of Victoria, boot and shoe merchant, in trust for the creditors of the said Eli Beam.

John Fullerton executed the deed and accepted the trust thereby created on the 27th day of August, 1894.

All persons indebted to the said Eli Beam are requested to pay such indebtedness forthwith to the said trustee and every person having any claim against the said Eli Beam must send proof and full particulars of same to the said trustee within one month from this date, after which date the said trustee will distribute the assets of the estate, having regard only to claims so sent in.

A meeting of the creditors will be held on Tuesday, the 4th day of September, at 2:30 p.m., at the office of the undersigned.

S. PERRY MILLS, 46 Langley St.
Solicitor for the trustee. aug28-1mo

MUNICIPAL.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

TO OWNERS OF REAL PROPERTY.

Tax notices have this day been posted to all parties assessed for Real Property in the City of Victoria. If not delivered at residence, please call at postoffice for same.

CHAS. KENT,
City Collector's Office, Collector.
City Hall, August 28, 1894. aug29-1m

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Government Street, between Fort and Yates, and Yates Street between Government and Broad, are closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, B. C., August 27th, 1894.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of Consumers of Water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to sections 12 and 20 of the "Waterworks Regulation By-law, 1894," which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Waterworks shall use such water for irrigating, except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In North Ward, on Mondays and Thursdays.

In Central Ward, on Tuesdays and Fridays, and

In South Ward, on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore specified there shall be charged fifty cents additional for each infraction.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., June 15th, 1894.

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DEEP WATER WAYS.

Discussion on Ald. Thompson's Paper at the Convention.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 19.—"Deep Water Ways and Who Shall Pay for Them," a paper by Ald. Thompson, of Toronto, was discussed at the deep water way convention yesterday. Following Ald. Thompson, whose remarks were reported in last evening's press dispatches, Mr. Flower, of Superior City, Wis., said he disagreed with the remarks that the railways were likely to oppose the project. He could state that it would not meet with the opposition of the railways of the Northwest. He quoted President Van Horne of the Canadian Pacific in favor of cheap transportation by water of grain from the Northwest. The only opponents he expected, he said, were the politicians, with their talk of war and tariffs and other foolishness.

O. A. Howland, a member of the Ontario legislature for South Toronto, then gave some information as to the present rights of international character secured in the navigation of inland waters. With the recommendation of the project for canal deepening, the convention, he thought, should recommend also the establishment of international high courts, which would make war between the two countries for all time as impossible as between the various states of the union.

R. R. Dobell, of Quebec, said Canada gave the United States the use of her canals, yet vessels laden with coal might go from New York up through the Richelieu river and Carlton canal to Toronto, there load lumber and return, while Canadian vessels could not make the same trip because of a fifteen mile canal through New York. No doubt the difficulty in question was not at Washington. The only question was whether the United States government had used its influence to get the state of New York to give Canada the use of her canals.

Mr. Hewett, of Ottawa, Mr. Tourtel, of Quebec, and McQuirk, of Davenport, Iowa, were appointed a committee to bring in a resolution along the line suggested by Mr. Howland.

L. E. Cooley, of Chicago, followed with an address full of interesting statistics and facts. He justified the deepening of the water ways from the point of view of domestic traffic. The foreign aspect of the matter, he continued, was purely incidental. He thought that the traffic of the great west would always have to enter Lake Ontario, but it was a question for consideration in the future whether a canal at Lockport, N. Y., might not be found more economical than the deepening of the Welland canal, but he did not urge this as an argument against the deepening of the Welland canal, as he thought there was room for both projects, and the United States might itself construct a canal at Lockport.

David Blain, of Toronto, addressed the convention on obstructions to navigation of the St. Lawrence. He strongly recommended the removal of these so that vessels could go down the river without using the locks at all. Of the 175 miles between Montreal and Kingston 110 miles afforded 30 feet of water. If the St. Lawrence obstructions were removed vessels could go down at the rate of 20 miles an hour.

James Suydam, of St. Paul and Minneapolis, said he came from the geographical centre of the North American continent, and the people there wanted the twin cities of the west to be made the deep hydrographic centre of the continent. They were for the promotion of the Lake Superior and Mississippi canal, the youngest of all canals. He concluded by asking that the observations of Congressman McCleary in congress with regard to this canal be printed in the proceedings of the convention.

This was consented to.

Mayor Taylor, of Winnipeg, asked what interest to Manitoba and the Northwest this canal was or what connection it had with the project of deepening the water ways of the St. Lawrence.

Mr. Suydam replied that Lake Superior and the Mississippi canal would carry the products of Manitoba and the Northwest to the ocean by the way of the Mississippi.

Mr. Cooley, of Chicago, in reply to a question, replied that there was no way to the sea so convenient as the St. Lawrence.

Mr. Flower, of Superior, Wis., pointed out that all these canals had an interest in connection with the great project, as branch lines, feeders and spurs of a railway were important to its promoters. There were other canals than those already mentioned. They all had a direct bearing on the subject of deep water ways.

The following committee on permanent organization was appointed:

James Suydam, St. Paul, Minn.; R. L. Keck, Cincinnati; A. P. McQuirk, Davenport, Iowa; L. E. Cooley, Chicago; Colonel Davidson, St. Paul, Minn.; M. Crocker, Minneapolis, Minn.; Frank A. Flower, Superior, Wis.; Captain J. S. Dunham, Chicago; Henry D. Goulder, Cleveland, Ohio; Lieutenant Blow, United States navy; Mayor Taylor, Winnipeg, Man.; O. A. Howland, M. P. P., Toronto, Ont.; James Conmee, Port Arthur, Ont.; A. R. Dobell, Quebec; George Faulkner, Ald. Hewett and John Brown, Toronto.

STEADY NERVE.

How an Engineer Dashed Over a Cave-In and Saved His Train.

Had it not been for the cool head and ready hand of Frederick Titus, engineer of Lehigh Valley freight engine No. 300, says a dispatch from Wilkesbarre, Pa., to the New York Tribune, himself, his crew of six men, the engine and four freight cars, would now be lying at the bottom of an old mine hole. Titus found himself in a predicament so terrible that, were he to experience it again, he says he is afraid his nerve would fail. He was on the train of cars that had been pulling four empty freight cars and was going at a speed of twenty miles an hour. The track was wet from an early rain, and the big drive wheels of the engine slipped on the rails. Titus kept a sharp lookout ahead for danger and was ready to whistle down brakes at any moment. Suddenly, as he glanced down the track, his attention was attracted by a disturbance in the roadbed only a few hundred feet ahead. He was surprised to see large holes appear, and as he looked the entire surface for several feet sank out of sight, and the edge of each side of the hole continued to crumble. He immediately realized what had happened. The place was honeycombed by old mine workings, and one of the gangways, hundreds of feet below, had fallen in, taking down the surface with it. The rails and ties alone remained straight and symmetrical, and the hole was all the time growing larger.

In less time than it takes to write one of these lines, all this passed through the mind of the engineer, and as it did he acted, intuitively, perhaps, for he said afterwards he had no time to think. Grasping the throttle, he threw it open, putting on a full head of steam, and at the same time opened the sand hole to give the wheels a firm hold. The big engine sprang forward like a sprinter, and, gaining speed with every inch of advance, shot across the chasm swiftly and safely, but none too soon, for barely had the last car cleared the edge when the rails and ties fell in the big hole with a crash. After the train had been brought to a standstill the crew hurried back to the scene. The hole by this time was fully thirty feet across, and the bottom could not be seen. Titus said he knew there was not room on the down grade to stop the train before it reached the cave-in and he felt the only safety was in skimming across.

MANY MADE HAPPY.

An Indiana Minister Who Has United Twelve Hundred Couples.

A Kokomo, Ind., correspondent of the St. Paul Pioneer Press says: This city is the home of a preacher who easily holds the championship of the state, if not of the nation, in the number of marriages solemnized. This famous preacher, Rev. Hayden Rayburn, is eighty-two years of age, and during his sixty years in the ministry has united twelve hundred couples, as is shown by a carefully kept record of the transactions. Mr. Rayburn came to Indiana in 1829, from Montgomery county, Kentucky. He first settled in Lawrence county, where he learned the blacksmith trade under his father, whose family was several sizes larger than his finances. He assisted his father in hammering out a living at the forge, devoting all his spare moments to the reading of the Bible. In 1833 he took for a wife Miss Matilda Johnson, who is still living. The venerable couple celebrated the sixty-first anniversary of their wedding a few days ago. Mr. Rayburn entered the Methodist Episcopal church ministry in the 30's, and for fifty years was an active and efficient worker in the pulpit. Ten years ago he gave up regular service, but still occupies the pulpit occasionally when called upon. In the early days of his ministry Rev. Mr. Rayburn, when the country was new and inhabited principally by Indians, was often called on to go twenty, thirty, and sometimes fifty miles, to perform the ceremony that he has so often repeated since. That was at a time when railroads were unknown and before public highways had been established. At that early day he had to make the journeys on horseback along the forest trail. This he did cheerfully, though the compensation was small, and sometimes was nothing. For pay he frequently received coon skins, beans, or whatever the young frontiersman had to give. Rev. Mr. Rayburn soon established the reputation of being the most accommodating preacher in Northern Indiana. Later, as the country developed, he gave up horseback riding and made his trips in a carriage. This he continued until twelve years ago, since which time he has declined to respond to calls unless a carriage was sent for him and the bride and groom would promise to return him "as good as found." Five years ago, admonished by the infirmities of old age, Father Rayburn declined to officiate at all weddings. At that time he had repeated the ceremony over one thousand times, and thought it time to quit. He consented, however, to marry all who would call at the parsonage. His popularity was not in the least abated at this, and since that time over two hundred couples have made the pilgrimage to his pleasant home here for the good old man to speak the ceremony. "I don't know why it is people still want me to marry them," said the venerable preacher the other day. "unless it is because I married their fathers and mothers and grandfathers and grandmothers before them. I have had pretty good luck, though, and that may have something to do with it. Out of twelve hundred couples, I know of only four or five that did not stick. I have kept a pretty close watch, and there have been but three divorces. Of course many have moved away, and some I never saw or heard of after the wedding day. I don't know that it did any good, but I generally gave the youngsters a little lecture after the ceremony, and sometimes I think it was a good thing for them."

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TALLEST IN THE WORLD.

Ladder Used for the Ascent of a Great Glasgow Smokestack.

A short distance from Glasgow cathedral, northward through Castle street, the Monkland canal is crossed and the grimiest of manufacturing regions is reached. On the left hand are the well known St. Rollox works, of which Sir Charles Tennant is the head, and which are easily distinguished by the great chimney stack designed by the late Professor Wacquorn Rankie. The stack is 456 feet high from the base to the capstone—32 feet less than the Townsend stack in the same locality, but Tennant's stack stands on a more elevated part of the city, and so to the onlooker appears taller than its neighbor. Some interesting operations were recently carried out in connection with the repairing of Tennant's stack. A local steeplejack of note, who has kept the two chimnies in repair for the past 25 years, mounted to the top of the stack, adopting a different method from that used by him about two years ago, when he climbed the stack at Port Dundas. On that occasion he mounted by means of kite-flying, which enabled the necessary ropes for the ascent being thrown over the top of the chimney.

On the present occasion he adopted a handier, and, on the whole, a safer plan. This is known as the ladder process, and is much in vogue among contractors for chimney repairing. The occasion was the first time the method has been used for a chimney of so great a height, and when fully erected the ladder was the highest in the world. The first section was planted against the chimney and nailed securely by hooked iron pins 18 inches long and an inch thick. Section after section, each 18 feet long, was then hoisted up, and after being lashed together, was fastened in the same manner to the chimney—the difficult work, as will be readily understood, requiring great care and attention. The ladders used were of yellow pine, and of the lightest possible make, with flat steps an inch thick by an inch an a half broad. One advantage of this process is that the work of repairing does not, as in the case of the kite, require to wait for a favorable wind, but can be begun at any time, and the preliminary operations thus over, it is simply a matter of climbing a ladder.—Westminster Gazette.

RICH ACTORS.

Some of Those Who Have Made Money and Saved It.

Every once in a while a newspaper paragraph goes the rounds announcing that M. Coquelin is the richest living actor, and that Mr. Irving comes next in the list of wealthy histrions. It is probable that Coquelin is rich, but Irving is by no means so. Coquelin is rich for the very reason that Irving is not. Irving lavishes his money upon his art. His productions are magnificent extravagances. Coquelin never puts a penny into scenery or into costumes. Irving has gone broke a number of times, and on several occasions he has been compelled to come to America to rehabilitate his fortunes. We question whether he has now in bank a sum of money equal to that which Edward S. Willard has picked up by diligent attention to business in the United States.

It is probable that Rossi is the richest actor in Europe; he has an immense fortune, lives in a palace and is served like a potentate. It is understood that Tomaso Salvini has great wealth. The tendency is to over-estimate the wealth of those presumably rich, but it is likely that Miss Letta has a very large property, and that Joseph Jefferson is abundantly provided for. William H. Crane could write his check for a quarter of a million, and Sol Smith Russell is not far behind. Stuart Robson is very well to do, and so is Lillian Russell, and by shrewd investments Jessie Bartlett Davis has got together a large property. Francis Wilson is rich and is getting richer all the time. There are members of the profession in this country who are individually in much more prosperous financial circumstances than Mr. Irving is. We do not hesitate to add that we do not particularly rejoice in this condition of things.—Chicago Record.

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The Daily Times.

REGISTRATION OF VOTERS.

It seems necessary to warn those who wish to vote at the coming Dominion election that they have no time to lose in getting their names on the list. The preliminary revision is now going on, and the time for receiving new applications will close on October 15th, so that there is practically only three weeks left to register. Mr. Wootton, the revising officer, is now at work compiling the preliminary list from the assessment rolls and similar sources of information, but the names taken from these sources form only a small proportion of those entitled to places on the list; the others must be put on by voluntary application. There are numerous different questions, but two of these will practically cover all the residents of Victoria electoral district, namely, ownership and income. The owner of real property in a city to the value of $300, or in outside places to the value of $150, is qualified. The names of such owners will in all likelihood be taken from the assessment roll, but they would do well to ascertain that their names have been so taken. The income voter is thus described: "If a resident within the electoral district, and derives an income of at least $300 annually from his earnings in money, or money's worth, or partly in money and partly in money's worth, or from some profession, calling, office or trade, or from some investment in Canada; and has so derived such income, and has been a resident of Canada for one year next before his being placed on the list of voters, or the date of the application for the placing of his name on the list of voters." As we have said, these two qualifications will admit practically all [illegible] any not included in the two classes they may be able to register under these other descriptions: 1. Tenant of real property paying $2 per month or $20 per year. 2. Occupant of real property worth $300 in the city or $150 outside the city. 3. Farmer's son. 4. Owner's son. 5. Fisherman owning $150 worth of fishing gear, boats, etc. A year's residence in the country is prescribed in all cases, and owners, tenants, and occupants must have been in possession of the property on which they qualify for a similar period. On Monday next the Times will be in a position to supply blank forms on application for income voters, and the Liberal Association will also take steps to facilitate registration. The time left is short.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Says the Colonist: "Mr. Laurier was in British Columbia, as he deserved to be, kindly and courteously treated, but as political demonstrations, his meetings, and his receptions were, we venture to say, a sad disappointment to the Liberals themselves." We venture to say that our neighbor does not know of one Liberal who feels in the slightest degree disappointed over the reception accorded to Mr. Laurier. Very good evidence that the Liberal leader's visit was entirely successful is the fact that the Colonist feels obliged to lie about it.

It seems that Miss Willard has taken a course productive of much excitement in prohibition and W. C. T. U. circles. The matter is thus touched upon by the London Free Press, whose sympathies, it is but fair to state, are not with prohibition:

Miss Francis Willard has formally renounced her faith in the principle of prohibition as applied to the liquor traffic, having studied the question in all its bearings in England. She concludes that it is useless and mischievous for a government to attempt to enforce total abstinence in a community in which the public sentiment is not heartily and all but unanimous in its favor. Miss Willard's power for good in this direction will henceforth lie in persuasion. The attitude of Miss Willard has caused a tempest in the W. C. T. U. Some of the more progressive ladies in the organization denounce their leader as an apostate, and repudiate her new opinions. So bitter a feeling has been engendered that Miss Willard was accused the other day of actually drinking wine out of a bottle in company with her friend Lady Somerset. The alleged crime occurred at Chautauqua park. The accused ladies admitted that they drank out of a bottle, but explained in their defence that the beverage was nothing more deadly than unfermented fruit juice. Even this explanation did not mollify her accusers, who censured them for not avoiding the very appearance of evil.

Col. James Domville was the Conservative member for King's county, N. B., from 1872 till 1882. Since the latter date he has been the unsuccessful opponent of Minister Foster, but always as a Conservative and a protectionist. It is therefore rather interesting to find the Montreal Star reporting an interview with Mr. Domville as follows:

"Yes, I am certainly going to contest my old constituency again. But I am going on the independent ticket. I am a free trader from top to bottom. All this talk of tariffs and all this business of conferences and conventions is looked upon in our part of the Dominion as just so much rubbish. I don't want to impute dishonesty to the present leading politicians, but I put it down to their ignorance, or at the most their self interest. What we ought to have is a Canadian party. At present it is only too plain that there is a conflict of interests between the Canadian agriculturist and the Canadian manufacturer. It is this shilly shallying with our fiscal policy which is ruining all the steadiness of our trade. I, as a politician, have cut party ties, and I know a good many more who have done the same. For instance, just now there is with me here in Montreal a man of long political and parliamentary experience, perhaps thirty years of it. I refer to the Hon. Peter Mitchell, ex-minister of marine and fisheries, and well known in the Maritime Provinces. He is about as eclectic in politics as I am. But his old constituency (and I know it well) wants him back again. I am glad to hear that he is going to accept their invitation to stand again for Northumberland on an independent footing. The men who are engaged in the fishing and lumber business know very well that they have a good man in him. I have no shadow of doubt that he will be elected. The Hon. Peter Mitchell is the sort of man that we want to clear the political atmosphere."

As an owner of real estate Col. Domville makes the somewhat remarkable statement that since the confederation there has been a depreciation of quite 70 per cent. in his part of the country. That statement may be a matter of discussion and comment among professional political economists.

REMOVING.

After the 1st of October the Times will occupy its new home on Broad street, opposite the Driard house. The work of removing the machinery commenced to-day and will continue during next week. The Times will be issued regularly—in the meantime from the old stand—although it is not improbable there may be some trifling delays in the publication. These, however, will be avoided, if possible, and after the removal we will be in a position, by the larger premises and better facilities generally, to give greater satisfaction than ever before to the public.

HAS AN ENORMOUS CATCH

Up to September First the Triumph had Taken Thirty Four Hundred Skins.

Will be the Record for Several Years—A Bad Accident on the Triumph.

At least three of the schooners sealing in Behring sea will have excellent catches, and one of them, the Triumph, will build up a record surpassing anything of the kind for several years past. Up to early in this month she had taken 2100 skins in the sea, bringing her record for the season up to 3400, or nearly 650 better than any other schooner for this season or last. The Sapphire had up to the same date killed 1100 and the Minnie 1400 in the sea. Since August 1st they were among the seals, and the prospects were that they would do much better. A serious accident aboard the Triumph is reported, and the confirmation or denial of it will be waited by many with the greatest anxiety. It is said that late in August John Graham, cousin of the Captains Cox, and first mate of the schooner, was shot in the head by the premature discharge of the signal gun and rendered blind.

Such is the news brought by the schooner Agnes Macdonald, which arrived here yesterday, and of whose voyage a partial report was printed in the Times last night. On September 11th, while on the way home, and while in latitude 49.20 north and longitude 152.20 west, the Agnes Macdonald fell in with and spoke the schooner Jane Grey, Captain Funk, of San Francisco. The Macdonald ran up and crossed astern of the Jane Grey, close enough to speak her. It was night, and when Captain Cutler learned who she was he hove to and paid a visit to Captain Funk, who is an old friend of his. The Jane Grey had come down from Behring sea and was bound for San Francisco. She had 1300 skins for the season, but only got 130 in the sea. Capt. Funk was aboard the Victoria schooner Minnie in the sea and gave her some provisions. He was told that the Minnie had 140 skins, and also had reports from the Triumph with 2100 skins, Sapphire 1100, and the Allie I. Algar. He also told Captain Cutler of the accident to John Graham, mate of the Triumph. He said that after being wounded he was very kindly received on board the United States steamer Mohican, where he was given surgical and medical attention. It was believed that the Mohican would keep him aboard and land him at Victoria on her arrival south. Mrs. Funk, wife of Captain Funk, made the trip from Hakodate to Behring sea, and with Mrs. Mockler, wife of the captain of the Mattie T. Dyer, shares the honor of being the only "lady" sealers out this year. She made a call aboard the Macdonald, launching a boat herself in face of a blow and coming to the Macdonald alone. The schooners parted after a few hours and one headed for Flattery and the other for the Golden State.

The great catch of the schooner Triumph has been the one topic of conversation among the sealers since the Macdonald came in. Some are inclined to discredit the report, but the majority believe it. The Indian crew on the schooner are perhaps the best on the coast. One year on the Sapphire off the coast they got 289 skins in one day, and in the first part of this season, under unfavorable circumstances, they took 1320 skins and made the Triumph high line. Captain Laughlin McLean of the schooner Favorite had 1245 skins on August 24 when seized by the Mohican, and says that the Triumph was right in where the seals were thickest. The news of the accident to John Graham was heard with regret by every one who knew him, and the sealing men are all hoping that it will prove an unfounded report.

The Agnes Macdonald docked to-day and is discharging her skins. Captain Cutler brought home two pets, a wonderful dog purchased at one of the islands off Japan, and a strange bird which flew aboard for shelter off the Russian coast.

The sealing schooner Penelope, Captain McGraw, arrived here last evening from the Copper islands and Japan coast. She had a very hard trip down from the Russian side, meeting gales and stormy weather, which carried away part of her rigging. Her cruise was, however, uneventful. She returned with a catch of 1598 skins. She was longer in the straits than the others that arrived yesterday. She came to an anchor in the stream, but will dock and discharge her skins.

The men lost from the schooner May Belle at Copper islands were Joseph Morrill, hunter, and James Cashin and [illegible] there is no doubt that they were saved, as the weather was fine and the men knew their bearings. It was afterwards reported around the fleet that thy had been found by one of the gunboats in the Russian patrol and placed on board of a British man-of-war. Captain Shields and the two men who were with him when lost from the schooner on April 19 went through experiences which they have no desire to have repeated. They were five days on a stormy sea in a cockle shell of a boat, with little or no provisions. Several times the boat was partly filled with water, wetting them through, but each time they bailed her out. The two men nearly died, and it was only the pluck and determination of Captain Shields that brought about their final deliverance. He remained up and guided the boat when the men could not rise from the bottom of the boat. The three were greatly reduced physically, and nearly lost their reason as well.

Seal Teeth!

Jewellery of all kinds in fine gold and beautifully finished is what Pennock & Lowe, the Jewellers, are making a specialty of just now. 63 Government St., next Spencer's Arcade.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Both Parties Preparing for the Dominion Election.

Nanaimo, Sept. 20.—Political affairs continue to occupy public attention, and the Conservatives are reported to have made their selection of a candidate for the Dominion house. It is almost certain that the present member will not seek re-election, but the Liberal club are already prepared for the contest. The club has selected a candidate for nomination, and he will be put forth solely by the club, which will assume all responsibility.

The steamer Crown of England received a quick dispatch yesterday, having been loaded with about 3500 tons of New Vancouver Coal company's coal in 30 hours.

The action of the Dunsmuirs in reducing their coal 50 cents a ton in the San Francisco market has caused considerable uneasiness in this community. All kinds of speculations and reports are being circulated as to the cause of this action during the present state of the market.

The grand lodge I. O. G. T. was in session in this city yesterday. Chief Templar Rev. A. E. Green read a lengthy report for the year, showing the progress made. The treasurer's report showed the receipts had been $1,826.17; expenditure, $1,643.37, leaving a balance of $182.80. The grand secretary's report contained the following item: "The proerty owned by the order in the province is valued at $4700; assets of the grand lodge are placed at $697.83; liabilities, $173.71, leaving a balance of $434.12."

PILOT BAY.

Machinery Being Placed in Position for the Smelter.

Pilot Bay, Sept. 12.—It is about two months since operations were resumed at Pilot Bay, and now the smelter buildings are entirely completed on the outside and the machinery is being placed in position, so that at an early date the ores tributary to Kootenay lake will be smelted at home and shipments of bullion will soon supercede ore transportation, thus retaining the cost of the reduction in the province and giving an impetus to mining development.

The steamer Galena is now being made ready for the transportation to the smelter of the ores from Hendryx. The Blue Bell and adjacent mines of this locality are showing up large ore bodies, the principal feature being work done on an open cut, which is producing hundreds of tons of ore at a nominal cost. The successful operating of a customs smelter on Kootenay lake will be of incalculable value to the district.

Reports from White Grouse mountain and St. Mary are very encouraging.

PERSONAL.

John Stevens returns to California to-night.

Mrs. T. B. Williams leaves this evening for the south.

W. S. Stamer will be a passenger for Tacoma to-night.

Charles Kent and wife leave to-night for the Tacoma fair.

Rev. S. Cleaver returned last evening from the Mainland.

R. Cook and R. B. Ellis, of Vancouver, are at the Driard.

W. A. Wood, wife and child, of Nanaimo, are at the Oriental.

C. A. Rohrbacher and F. M. Wingo, leave to-night for Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pendray leave to-night for Tacoma to visit the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Irving of "Gisborn," leave to-night for Tacoma and Portland.

J. B. Libby, of Port Townsend, and H. A. Mellon, of Vancouver, are at the Oriental.

R. B. Rothschild, A. W. H. Reichling, C. W. [illegible] of San Francisco, are at the Driard.

J. D. Taylor, of the Colonist, who captained the British Columbia rifle team in the eastern matches, returned home last night.

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BRIEF LOCALS

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in Condensed Form.

—Oil stoves at McLennan & McFeely's.

—Guaranteed razors and outfits at Fox's, 78 Government street.

—The members of the I. O. G. T. lodges will shortly hold a church parade.

—We are selling some odd curtains, etc., and the funny part of them is the price. Weller Bros.

—F. B. Stewart of Vancouver, has a carload of fresh eggs due to arrive at the end of this week.

—Your child needs healthful exercise. We have swinging clubs and dumb bells. Wieler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street.

—Mrs. A. T. Watt will lecture this afternoon at St. Ann's Convent on the "Barrie Folk," a criticism on the work of J. M. Barrie.

—You will see a nice variety of "Down Quilts," cushions, etc., at Weller Bros.; you will need such things during these cold nights.

—The Victoria Quadrille Club gave a very enjoyable dance last night in the Hebrew Ladies' hall on Blanchard street. Richardson's orchestra furnished the music.

—The first annual meeting of the five Methodist Sunday schools of the city will be held next Sunday in the Metropolitan church. Addresses will be delivered by Rev. S. Cleaver, Postmaster Shakespeare and Rev. Mr. Turner.

—W. K. Bull, returning officer, has given notice that nominations for the place in the school board made vacant by the resignation of J. Stuart Yates, will be received at room 3, Market building, at noon on Thursday, September 27, and if a poll is necessary it will be held on Oct. 1.

—The Daughters of England will give a necktie social and dance at Sir William Wallace Hall this evening. The programme is as follows: Piano solo, Miss Haughton; recitation, "Guilty or not Guilty," Miss A. Gladding; song, "Brannigan's Pup," Mr. Grimason; song, Miss Ethel Cohen; duet, "Maid of Athens," Mrs. Fernyhough and Miss Haughton; song, "In Public or Private," Mr. Richardson; and recitation, "Margaret and the Minister," Miss Johnson.

—Lawrence Hanley and George Osbourne have combined this season, and supported by a powerful company, will appear at the opera house next Monday and Tuesday evenings. Mr. Hanley, who was for many years leading support for Booth and Barrett, has won great renown as a star for his clever acting in Blanche Marsden's comedy, "The Player," in which Mr. Osbourne also does some clever character work. They will also be seen in a new play, "An American Girl," written by the successful young dramatist, Grattan Donnely, who has the distinction of having evolved more successful plays than any living American playwright.

—The Toronto Globe, speaking of Blind Tom, who appears in the Victoria theatre this evening, says: "Blind Tom the celebrated colored musical prodigy, entertained a large audience at Association hall last evening in his old time manner. His hearers were very appreciative and warmly applauded the old favorite. Tom personally introduced himself and the items on his programme, always speaking of himself in the third person, and does so in a manner that reflects very creditably on his tutor, while it gives him an opportunity to demonstrate his deep and powerful voice. His superb performances on the [illegible] his keen ear for music by members of the audience, after whom he would perform with apparent ease compositions previously unknown to him. The singing of Southern melodies, the vocal com positions of his own, were of much interest and amusement."

—Delmonico hotel, Milwaukee beer 5 cents.

—The steamer City of Topeka sailed for Alaska last night.

—Fine fishing rods and tackle at Fox's, 78 Government street.

—Five cents buys a glass of cool Milwaukee beer at the Delmonico hotel.

—Ninety-Six passengers and 100 tons of freight came north by the Walla Walla, which arrived last night.

—Special facilities for making blank books and doing extra calf and other superior binding at R. T. Williams, 28 Broad street.

—As usual Weller Bros. are showing a splendid range of Crossley's celebrated carpets, Brussels, tapestries, velvets, Wiltons, etc.

—To-morrow morning at 11 o'clock Mr. Byrnes will offer by auction the effects of the late Captain Smallfield. The advertisement gives particulars.

—The steamer City of Kingston carried away seven hundred cases of salmon last night. It is to be shipped to Montreal over the Northern Pacific.

—Hon. Justice Crease has given judgment for the plaintiff for $3750 in the case of Crossdaile vs. Hall. The plaintiff sued for money due for services to the defendant before the sale of the Silver King mine.

—H. E. Ward, of Nanaimo, who went to Seattle for his wife, who had eloped with Matthew Merritt, has returned home. Merritt, who was charged with fighting in the Seattle police court, was released and Ward left before his case was called.

—Wilson, the section man who accidentally shot the Indian Loui at Chemainus has been discharged by Magistrate Musgrave. Levallet, the negro who supplied the Indians with liquor, has been sentenced to a term of six months.

—Rev. J. B. Hewetson officiated yesterday at the funeral of William T. Daykin, the boy ho died from injuries received at Carmanah Point, and the pallbearers were: Masters F. Merryfield, C. Loat, F. Unwin, C. Merryfield, J. Renfue and C. Unwin.

—Rev. George Bryce, M. A., LL.B., professor of science and literature in the Manitoba College, will arrive here this week. On Sunday morning he will preach in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, and in the evening in the First Presbyterian church. Monday evening he will lecture in the First Presbyterian church on "The Story of the Earth," and on Thursday evening in St. Andrew's church, on "Scotland." Collections will be taken up at the lectures in aid of the college funds.

—The repairs to the schooner Florence M. Smith, which was hauled out on Turpel's ways after being floated off the rocks beyond Coffin island last Saturday, were completed to-day, and but for the rain storm the schooner would have been launched at high water this afternoon. As it is the launching will be postponed until to-morrow. The stern post and forefoot were replaced and repairs made to her bottom forward where she rested on the rocks. She is now as strong as ever. The expense of towing, docking and repairing amounts to several hundred dollars.

—Speaking of Miss Johnson, who appears here shortly, "Kit" says in the Toronto Mail: "The Indian poetess is a very clever woman. Her voice is exquisitely tender, her facial power wonderful, and her gestures graceful and telling. It was with intense pleasure I listened to her rendering of her own beautiful compositions, some of which seemed to be almost beyond reach of our more commonplace minds. Her passionate dark face expressed every shade of feeling. She was a revelation to me. Her Indian costume, which must have cost an immensity, was accurate in every detail, and most becoming to its wearer. Miss Johnson now and then showed how intensely sarcastic she can be as well as how passionately devoted she is to her own people, for all of which I love her."

The Secret Explained.

For some time past it has been a well known fact that few business houses have been able to compete successfully with Russell & McDonald, the well known Douglas street merchants. Our reporter called on Mr. Russell, the manager of the firm, and asked him if he would mind explaining the secret of the firm's success. "There is no secret about it," said he, "all importers throughout the province are prone to overstocking. Naturally some of them fail. When they do so our agents are on the spot as quickly as possible to secure the cream of their stock, which they always succeed in doing. There is no sense in the public paying cost for their dry goods," he continued, "because we never pay more than one-third cost, or charge more than one-half." Our reporter thanked him for the information and retired to think it over.

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F. LANDSBERG, Sec.

BUSINESS CHANCE.
W. G. PRICE, Esq., late steward of the Union Club of this city, having purchased an undivided half interest in the saloon of the London Hotel is hereby acknowledged to be a full partner in said business from and after this date.
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Victoria, B. C., Sept. 19th, 1894.

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HIS WILL WAS LAW.

The Youthful King of Spain and the English Hermit.

The little king of Spain gives numerous exhibitions of strong-headedness, which, although harmless enough at present, is not one of the best characteristics for a future ruler. The queen regent, his small majesty and his sister went on an excursion a few days ago to Gaudalupe, whence a beautiful view of mountain and valley can be obtained. The eye of Alphonso, however, was directed again and gain toward a small, castle-like building which was on a distant peak and seemed almost impossible to reach.

"Does any one live there?" asked the king.

"Certainly, your majesty," replied one of the officers, "that is the Casa del Ingles. For eighteen years an Englishman has lived there without leaving the place or receiving a stranger. The only one who is allowed to come and go is his old, deaf servant."

"Mamma," cried the interested little ruler, "do you know, I wish to visit him."

"But your majesty will not be admitted," ventured to remark General Monilla.

The king looked at the general in a disdainful way for a minute, and drawing himself up "to his full height," said with dignity: "Remember this, your excellency, that the king is admitted everywhere."

True to his word, Alphonso sent a letter to the Englishman, announcing his intended visit on the following day. A courier carred the message, and returned in a few hours with the following answer:

"Nothing stands in the way of the visit of your majesty. I shall leave my house forever to-day."

Alphoso was surprised, and after consulting the queen regent his better nature asserted itself, and word was at once sent to the Englishman to remain in his castle, as the king had given up his visit. His majesty took pride, however, in showing the message of the Englisman to General Monilla, proving that he could "be admitted everywhere."

Who the occupant of the lonely building is is not known by the natives at least. Naturally all manner of legends have been formed regarding the Englishman in the course of the eighteen years, but none of them probably is true. The servant is as silent as death regarding the identity of his master.

COMATOSE PRISONER.

Remarkable Condition of an Inmate of the Chicago Jail.

One of the strangest cases the medical fraternity of Chicago have had to deal with is that of John Lynch, who has been lying in the county jail in a state of spontaneous mesmerism, lethargic trance, stuporous melancholia, or simply suspended animation, whichever doctor's views are accepted. He shows no kind of life, his eyes are closed and he has not moved a muscle for ten days. The case has caused Dr. E. C. Fortner, the county physician, a great deal of anxiety. Lynch is now in his second trance since his incarceration in the county jail. About August 1st he was arrested on a charge of larceny and held over by Judge Bradwell to the criminal court, and he is now confined in the county jail awaiting trial. Shortly after his arrest he showed signs of stupor, and when he was taken to the jail it had so far advanced that although he could stand and answer questions he was unable to move a muscle. He was carried on a stretcher to a cell and placed on a cot. It was thought at the time by the jail officials that Lynch was shamming, as such cases are frequent, but when the prisoner did not move a muscle or take a breath for a week the case became alarming, and Dr. Fortner was called in. It was his opinion at first that Lynch was either shamming or in the first stages of insanity. He moved the patient to the Detention hospital and worked over him for a week, but without effect. Then he had Lynch removed to the county hospital, and Dr. Williams and several others were called in to examine him. While the physicians were conversing Dr. Fortner jocularly remarked that he thought Lynch should be put on the operating table and dissected. The corpse like form showed signs of animation immediately, and in the course of two hours Lynch was completely revived and as well as ever. It was the opinion of some of the physicians that Lynch had been shamming, but they could not understand how he had withstood the usual tests which are applied in such cases and which had not made him open an eye or move a muscle. Candles had been burned at his feet, pins were run under his nails, and all the tests known for causing pain in such cases were resorted to, but without effect.

As soon as Lynch came out of his first trance he was closely questioned by Dr. Fortner. He said it was no unusual thing for him to relapse into a state of unconsciousness and stay that way for weeks. As he was sound physically and was susceptible to no foreign mesmeric influence, it was a puzzle to know why he went into such trances. He claimed that during the lethargic state he was entirely unconscious of his surroundings and experienced no more sensation than if he were dead.

Ten days ago Lynch was again taken to jail and put in a cell. Twenty-four hours afterwards he was found, apparently dead. Dr. Fortner was again called in, and after doing all in his power to awaken him concluded to let him sleep. He is fed daily by means of a tube inserted in the nose, and it is quite possible for him to sleep many years.

When seen last night Dr. Fortener said:

"This is the strangest case of coma or trance or lethargy, or whatever you wish to call it, that I have seen. Lynch has every sign of being in a mesmeric trance, and I have almost come to the conclusion that he mesmerizes himself and is able to suspend animation at his own will. He is a mediocre man of no education. I think he possesses a peculiar influence over him[illegible] such as has seldom ever been reported before. I am under the impression that he was shamming, but he gave no response to external pain, and all the usual tests failed. To-day I am going to apply electricity, and if that fails then I will call in some of the best experts and have them examine him. There is no danger of his dying now, for he may live for years just in that state."—Chicago Tribune.

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BLOOMERS BADLY WRECKED.

An Exciting Feature of a Woman's Bicycle Race in Kentucky.

Louisville Courier-Journal: The race in which the greatest interest was taken was the ladies' race, the fifth and last event. The people became frantic to see the women in bloomers and act disgracefully. It was a fine race except in the finish, when the spectators crowded into the track and the riders were thrown to the ground. Several of them were painfully bruised. With the exception of Miss Lizzie Strohman, who crossed the string the winner, all the women riders were thrown. Never before in Louisville had there been such a conglomeration of black-stockinged legs, torn bloomers and broken bicycles, all mixed up indiscriminately with the surging crowd.

The people crowded about the starting point to get good places, where they could see the women in bloomers. The starters in the race, which was for two miles, were: Misses Tillie Mobley, Amelia Fischer, Mrs. Zella E. Connell, Misses Frankie Porter, Belle Kroll, Mrs. Mary Hughey, Mrs. Mary Mann, Misses Lizzie Strohman, Annie Reeder and Mrs. C. W. Shaw. With one or two exceptions, all of these wore bloomers, and all who wore bloomers rode men's wheels. The people who were in the rear of the crowd could not see, and they crowded those in front of them. Several of the starters were pushed over by the crowd before the word to be off was given. It was the first women's bicycle race ever run in the United States, and the crowd by its actions voted it a novelty.

When the word was given Miss Strohman took the lead immediately, but at the first quarter there was not twenty yards difference between the first and the last. The race continued in this way until the mile turn was reached, when all spurted. It was a great race, and the crowd could not stand it. They rushed into the track pell mell, and it was wonderful how Miss Strohman, who led by a few yards, got past them all and reached the string without going down. Mrs. Shaw was second, and she evaded a collision with the crowd within a few yards of the finish line. There she collided with a man and went down. She hastily jumped to her feet and pushed her wheel across the string, though she was scratched and bleeding in several places. Miss Fischer also fell at the finish, but she also pushed her wheel across and took third prize.

Miss Porter was knocked down within twenty yards of the string, and Miss Kroll, who was immediately behind her, ran into her wheel. Then Misses Reeder, Mobley and Connell were all piled up in a heap, and several of them had to be carried to Cyclers' Rest, where their bruises were attended to. Several of the women starters did not reach the finishing line, for the people were packed so that a battering ram would have been needed to open a [illegible] for the women were badly hurt.

The first prize, which goes to Miss Strohman, is a woman's bicycle. Mrs. Shaw gets a sewing machine and Miss Fischer a mantle cabinet. Miss Strohman lives at 743 Fifth street. She is tall, graceful and pretty, and rides a woman's bicycle. She was very proud of her victory.

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TELESCOPIC REVEL...

Terrestrial Creation Only an Incident in ...

The glasses of Mount Hamilton, Milan and Pulltowa reveal worlds at the present time in all stages of evolution. They may be traced from misty nebulae to glittering suns, from orbs in the high noon of development to those that repose in the sepulchral shadows of the coming night, says a Pittsburg dispatch. But neither by analysis nor analogy can we conclude that the activity of the universe began only when men began to evolve on the inconsequent and diminutive sphere known as the earth. We may not conclude that the millions of scintillant suns in space—the 500,000,000 of orbs that the great Lick telescope discovered in the Milky Way alone—are only celestial lanterns hung out to illuminate terrestrial night. A wider knowledge sustains the conclusion that other worlds long preceded ours and shall long continue when the fretted fabric that we call our globe shall have passed away. We may, then, dismiss some of our early conceptions and grasp the fact that terrestrial creation, instead of ranking as the event in the economy of the universe, was only one in an external train of minor incidents. What else may be the meaning of that illimitable and infinite field of space where glows diffusing light and heat, the countless hosts of colossal suns, which, we are compelled to acknowledge, must radiate their light and heat, and must diffuse these into systems that must evoke them?

And when the great Chicago telescope is completed, when we may explore the added area and possess the added intensity and the stellar revelations come nearer to us, and when, beyond that telescopic achievement, come others in the coming century with still farther and keener sight, we may be able to grasp but a little of the coming significance that may be unfolded.

The world is yet young in stellar science. It is not old in any kind of science. It is only in the dawn of the significance of knowledge and of making its practical application. We are yet before the sunrise, only in the twilight, and just behind us is the night. We are still so near our congeneric savagery that the barbarous imprints confront us everywhere; the civilizing telescope, even with ourselves, is almost as nothing in the interest bestowed on some new death-dealing device, and our greatest honors we bestow on those who are conspicuous in the destruction of their fellows.

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	Ar.	Ar.			Lv.	Lv.
	1230 P M	8 00 P M		VICTORIA	8 30 A M	2 30 P M
	1230	7 30	1	RUSSLAKE	8 00	2 00
	1210	7 10	3	ESQUIMALT	7 40	1 40
	1145 A M	6 45	5	COLLINSON'S	7 15	1 15
	1130	6 30	6	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	7 00	1 00
	1100	6 00	9	COBBLE HILL	6 30	12 30
	1057	5 57	10	MCPHERSON'S	6 27	12 27
	1047	5 47	12	KOKSILAH	6 17	12 17
	1033	5 33	15	DUNCANS	6 03	12 03
	1006	5 06	20	SOMENOS	5 36	11 36
	955	4 55	22	CHEMAINUS	5 25	11 25
	845	3 45	43	LADYSMITH	4 15	10 15
	815	3 15	48	NAMAIMO	3 45	9 45
	730 P M	2 30 P M	61	WELLINGTON	2 00 A M	8 00 A M

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	Lv.	Lv.	
	8 00 A M	2 30 P M	
	8 05	2 35	
	8 14	2 45	
	8 20	2 50	
	8 31	3 01	
	8 37	3 07	
	8 47	3 17	
	8 57	3 27	
	9 07	3 37	
	10 13	4 43	
	10 24	4 54	
	10 40	5 11	
	10 50	5 21	
	11 00	5 31	
	11 20	5 49	
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The London Daily News announces that a syndicate has been formed in England for the manufacture of tin plates in the United States.

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MRS. PARSON'S HEIRS.

Still Fighting Over the Sum in the Hibernia Bank.

About a year ago the Hibernia Savings Bank turned over to the public administrator $4700 which had been in the bank vaults since 1875 without a claimant. Now there are no less than six persons clamoring for the money, and what promises to be a bitter three-cornered fight is about to be made for its possession.

The money was originally deposited in the bank by Mrs. Jennie Parsons, who was at one time, away back in the '50's, known as Jennie Mandeville. She and her sisters, Agatha and Alicia, were billed as the Mandeville Sisters, vocalists and comediennes. They were very popular with the public of that day, and for a long time held the boards of the old American Theatre on Sansome street and also appeared at the old Maguire opera house on Washington street.

As early as 1860 Jennie Mandeville began to deposit her savings in the bank, and in 1873, when she was married to Otis Parsons, she had a snug sum to her credit. In November, 1875, Parsons, his wife and their only child, then but a year old, took passage on the ill-fated steamer Pacific, bound from Victoria, B. C., to San Francisco. The steamer foundered off Cape Flattery and the Parsons family, with many other passengers, were drowned.

For almost twenty years the money to the credit of Mrs. Parsons in the Hibernia Bank lay there without a claimant. About a year ago it was turned over to the public administrator, who advertised for the heirs.

Last May two persons appeared to claim the money. They were Beatrice M. States and William G. States of New York, the latter a prominent physician. They are the children of a sister of Mrs. Parsons, and through their attorneys laid claim to the whole estate as the only surviving heirs. As their proof of kinship was perfect there seemed to be no object in the way of their coming into possession of the property, and measures were being taken to effect a distribution of the estate when a stop was put in the proceedings by a claim made by three residents of Fresno. These counter claimants are E. C. Parsons, Talcott Parsons and Mary F. Whelan. Through their attorneys they presented a petition in which they claim to be the children of Otis Parsons by his first wife, and as such entitled to the estate left by him. The claim is set up that in such a catastrophe as befel the Parsons family the law presumes that the husband, being the hardier, survives the wife, even though they perish under the same conditions. If, the estate under consideration was her own individual property both the husband and son were entitled to individual shares. By the death of the son the share goes to the father, whose heirs can claim the bulk of the estate. If it was community property then the wife's and the son's shares fall to the father and his heirs.

The proceedings that followed the filing of this claim have been stopped by the appearance of another heir. This new litigant is Minnie Adams-Brooke, a resident of Chicago. Through her attorney, P. L. Koscialowski, she asks that the court award her the entire estate of Mrs. Jennie Parsons. To substantiate her claim Mr. Koscialowski has in preparation papers by which she will establish her identity as the daughter of Mrs. Jennie Parsons by a former marriage. It will be shown that Jennie Thorne otherwise Jennie Mandeville, was married to George Adams prior to her visit to the Pacific coast, and that the claimant is the only surviving issue of that marriage. After the death of George Adams his widow came to California and married Parsons.

It will also be shown by the testimony of persons who survived the wreck of the Pacific that when the ship foundered the passengers were ordered to take to the boats. An attempt was made to place the women and children in the boats first, and Mrs. Parsons and her infant child were among the first to be lowered over the side of the vessel. The officers were not able to control the panic-stricken passengers, and some jumped from the deck of the steamer into the boats. In this wild scramble the child of Mrs. Parsons was killed.

The boat finally got away and was closely followed by the one in which Mr. Parsons was. When but a few hundred yards separated them from the sinking vessel this latter boat was capsized and its occupants were all drowned. When near the shore the first boat, which held Mrs. Parsons, was upset in the breakers and she and many others went to the bottom.

On this testimony and on other statutory grounds Minnie Adams-Brooke bases her claim to the whole estate left by her mother. As the contest involves many curious legal questions the fight for the property of the actress bids fair to be one of unusual interest.—Examiner.

MINERS TAKE CHARGE.

A Manager Escorted from the Mining District by Strikers.

Grass Valley, Sept. 19.—Four hundred members of the miners' union proceeded to the Osborne Hill mines this morning and ordered Superintendent Adolph Schnabel to leave town immediately. He consented, and a committee escorted him to Buena Vista, four miles from the town, where he took the outgoing train this afternoon. All the non-union men, numbering thirty, were brought to the surface and consented to join the union. The Osborne Hill company have lengthened the day's labor and in various ways have violated the rules in vogue here for many years. Miners have been compelled to board at the company's boarding house, and even sleep there in bunks. Even men with large families living here for years have, it is alleged, been obliged to leave their homes to keep their positions.

KOOTENAY NUGGETS.

Hon. Justice Crease Exonerates Gold Commissioner Fitzstubbs.

Nelson Miner

At the opening of the court on Thursday, Mr. Justice Crease, addressing the attorney-general, said he had forwarded his report upon the charges against Capt. Fitzstubbs to the lieut.-governor, and he might mention that it entirely exonerates the gold commissioner from all blame in the matter.

In the Three Forks country the Wonderful, owned by Mr. Finch, is ably mined by Mr. Springer, with fifteen men at work running two tunnels and raising from No. 1 to No. 2, a distance of about sixty feet. There is a large ore body to attack for a big winter shipment.

The Wills group cut is being run to the lead, which taps it about seventy-five feet. The outcrop is from one to six feet and is exposed for a length of five hundred feet. Three ledges cross the property, all close together and tending to one main vein. Large shipments will be made this winter. In the Ruth, about one mile from the Slocan Star, the tunnel is in about 165 feet, ore being struck at 30 feet and followed throughout the entire length. The ore will average 60 ounces silver and 70 per cent. lead and is from four inches to one foot in width, all clean, with some very fine carbonnates running with the galena. The Eureka is an extension of the World Beater. Mr. Ross has a lot of work done, three tunnels, 180, 140 and 100 feet long, with ore in different places from eight inches to three feet. The ore is high grade, running about 150 ounces.

Nakusp Ledge.

Eight men are working on the Consolation on French creek, taking $100 a day. All the buildings destroyed by the flood have been replaced.

At the Gold Hill claim six men are working, taking out about $600 a week.

Thirty men are working on the Le Roi mine at Trail creek, and three car loads are being shipped every week. A ten-drill is being put in and the mine is down three hundred feet. The company intend to put on a small steamer to run between Trail and Northport.

PRESIDENT TO SOLDIERS.

Casimir-Perier's Speech to the French Army.

Paris, Sept. 19.—President Casimir-Perier gave a breakfast yesterday to the higher officials who are taking part in the military maneuvers at Manjours, and made a speech to his guests. He said:

"By my presence here I wished to show that the public powers of the entire nation follow with passionate interest and confidence the efforts of the leaders of the soldiers of France. I wished to give proof to the valiant general who directs the maneuvers, and to all who second him, of my deep sympathy with the youth of France, formed here alike for peace or war. Love of our country, respect for its laws and submission to authority are the virtues of the soldier and the citizen. To you the public entrusts its honor. She confides her future and her flag to those who, like you, cherish all that makes hearts generous and wills strong, and prepares soldiers for defence and citizens for liberty."

CLEVER STRATEGY.

An Incident in the French and English War in Canada.

General Putnam, a brave officer in the war between the French and English in Canada, is the hero of an interesting little story. General Amherst marched across the country to Canada. Coming to one of the lakes over which he intended to pass with his troops he found a French vessel armed with 12 guns upon the lake. This greatly distressed the general, as his small boats were no match for this vessel, in the situation in which it was placed. While he was thinking what had best be done Putnam addressed him:

"General," said he, "that ship must be taken."

"Yes," said Amherst, "I would give the world were she taken."

"I'll take her," said Putnam.

Amherst smiled and asked how.

"Give me some wedges, a beetle (a large wooden mallet) and a few men and I'll take her," answered Putnam.

General Amherst was puzzled as to how this was to be accomplished, but he granted Putnam's request and gave him the wedges, beetle and his choice of men. When night came he rowed over quietly to the vessel's stern with his wedges and hammer and five men. The wedges were driven behind the rudder in the cavity between rudder and ship without attracting the enemy's attention and then Putnam quietly came back to shore. In the morning the sails were seen fluttering about, and after a while the vessel was blown ashore and the enemy captured.

Having lost control of the rudder by General Putnam's act, the course of the vessel could not be regulated.—Hartford Courant.

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Victoria Liberal Association.

There will be a meeting of the Victoria Liberal Association at Philharmonic Hall on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

As business of importance is to be transacted a full attendance of members is requested.

G. L. MILNE, M.D.,
President.

NOTICE

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Co'y.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of this company will be held at the company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the third day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Victoria, September 1st, 1894.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.

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The Union Colliery Company of British Columbia, Limited Liability.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the company will be held at the company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the third day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Victoria, September 1st, 1894.

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THE GORIN TRAIN ROBBERS

A Well Planned Attempt to Rob the Colorado and Utah Express.

Farmer Bandits Frustrated in an Endeavor to Become Rich Quickly.

Gorin, Mo. Sept. 19.—Further particulars have been received of the holding up of the Chicago & Utah express on the Santa Fe road on Tuesday, which fixes the crime on a number of farmers who reside in this vicinity. As the railroad and express officials had a guard on the train the bandits, when they stopped [illegible] bullets. They shot William Prescott, the engineer, before they even gave him a chance to hold up his hands. His wounds, it is believed, will not prove fatal.

When the train left Chicago at 5 o'clock last evening, railroad and express detectives, all walking arsenals, climbed on at every station. Among them were Chief Detective J. J. Kinney, of the Santa Fe, and J. A. Matthews, who had been acting as a spy for two weeks and getting news of the robbers' plans. Matthews brought the news that the robbers early in the day had decided to leave their hiding place near Memphis at 8.30 o'clock last night and make their third attempt to get rich at the expense of the express company. They expected to make a haul of at least $50,000. At Fort Madison, Ia., Division Superintendent Stockton, of the Wells-Fargo express, got into the treasury car. He carried a saw off Winchester that once belonged to Bill Dalton. With him were four men. Detectives Kinney and Montgomery boarded the engine, and Superintendent Stockton and two good shots were in the express car. In the forward end of the smoking car, shut off by a partion from the rest of the car, a dozen men were placed. Each had a gun, every cartridge having been specially loaded for the event with a dozen buckshot. At two o'clock, when Sheriff Scaling, of Scotland county, climbed on board, all the details of the surprise party were arranged. According to the report brought by Matthews, the spy would endeavor to be the one who flagged the train. If so, one torpedo would precede the swinging of the lantern. Orders were given that, no matter if every one of the robbers got away, there was to be no shooting to endanger the life of the spy, who had, in fact, taken his life in his hands in order to frustrate the attempted robbery. In the little compartments filled with armed men the lights were out and the windows up. In each seat there were two men sitting sidewise, the muzzles of their guns protruding just a trifle over the seats. Beside them stood others with Winchesters at half cock resting across their arms.

As out from between two high embankments, just one mile from Gorin, sped the train, there came the looked-for signal, and not fifty yards away was swinging a red light. Within twenty seconds the train was at a standstill. Out from the dense undergrowth north of the track came four forms, the face of each hidden by a black mask. One rushed to the engine. Almost before his companions could reach the express car, within ten feet of the tender, he pointed his rifle at William Prescott, the white-bearded engineer, and shouting, "Hold up your hands," pulled the trigger. Prescott fell to the floor with a bullet in his right breast. With one bound Kinney gained the top of the tender, and bringing his gun to his shoulder, sent a shower of shot almost into the face of the masked man. How the fellow managed to move six inches is a mystery, but he did, and made for the woods. The shot which laid Engineer Prescott low was the signal for a fusilade, also the signal for the hasty retreat of the robbers to the shelter of the timber. They fired two shots. Although men were leaning from the car windows and pulling the triggers as fast as possible, while others were after the robbers on foot, they failed to hit a man. The place where the horses were tied was soon found. It is not likely that the passengers in the rear end of the smoker, those who were dozing in the chair car, and half a dozen wakeful ones in the sleepers, will ever forget their experience. With the first shot every man near a window opened it and looked out. Within a second he drew his head in and dropped on to the floor. The cry, "Train robbers" went through the train, and women went down on their knees and screamed.

The cunning of the hold-up craftsman was shown in the selection of this spot for turning the little trick. For fifty miles there is no night telegraph station until La Plata is reached, and there is no stop there. Once in a while the train takes water at Gorin, but there is nothing there except the tank. Not within the memory of the oldest man on the road has a halt been made at Baring, but at Hurdlan, which is just ten miles west of the last named station, is a switch into which the train runs every morning and waits for the east-bound express to pass. Both are due there at the same time, and almost invariably they are on time. But if the west-bound should not put in an appearance, the east-bound would have to camp there until it came along, for there is no means [illegible] out running back to La Plata. The men who planned the robbery figured that they had the train and its treasure in a pocket and they would have all the time necessary, not only to rifle the express car, but to relieve the passengers of their valuables. It is evident that they had also made a careful study of the topography of the country. For one thousand feet above the spot at which the red light was swung across the rails the road winds on a reverse curve through a cut with embankments ten to forty feet high. Then comes a little hill, followed by a stretch of track almost on a level with the surrounding country. On either side of the right of way are dense clumps of oak and hickory, not to mention an undergrowth almost as bad as the Northern Michigan pine woods. But the forest, though apparently thick and impenatrable, is only so for a quarter of a mile from the track. Beyond that the whole country stretchs practically clear and is easily traversed almost to the Iowa line. It was in the middle of the timber that the horses were hidden, good, strong-limbed animals, and it was the calculation that after a night's work had been accomplished two hours' hard riding would put every man safe from pursuit, and that, too, soon after the day dawned. There were no telegraph lines up in the country where the gang had been hiding, and it was thought the news of the hold-up would not penetrate to that region until after the participants in the affair had time to cover their tracks. This section during the civil war was over-run with bushwhackers, who frequently carried terror into the little towns of Van Buren, Davis and Appanoose counties, in Iowa, by their frequent raids across the border. It is a fitting place for bandits to do their work, as hiding places are easy of access. The inhabitants of this section, however, are a sturdy, honest, agricultural class, who have no sympathy with crime or criminals.

It is nearly three weeks since the Santa Fe and Wells Fargo officials received the tip that the raid was contemplated. Since then the express car, whether inhabited by Detective Kinney's men or not, has been a regular arsenal. Every night at least half a dozen secret service men have climbed aboard at different points along the line east of Fort Madison and scattered themselves in the daytime, reclining in chair and smoking cars. Soon after that point was reached they would have worked forward into the smoker, not a man exchanging a word with another, all total strangers as far as outward appearances went, and before Gorin was passed half of them had disappeared into the express car. This was merely precautionary. Kinney's spy gave him 24 hours' notice of the two premeditated raids spoiled by rain, and then the full force was on hand. But the railroad and express people were taking no chances. When the danger point had been passed the men would drop off at different stations, working back east along the road in the day time, and repeating the operation the next night.

It was W. E. McDaniel who notified the officers of the attempted highway robbery. He, with Charles Abrams, the leader of the gang, and Link Overfield, came to Gorin. Abrams ordered the engineers to stop and was shot by Detective Kinney. The officers decline to give the names of the two others implicated. Abrams and Overfield were arrested. The former will die.

It was only after a stubborn fight they were captured. Both had made their way directly to their homes, situated 16 miles southeast from here in a lonely part of the country. Abrams, who is the man that received the full load of buckshot in the face, was compelled to walk the entire distance, it being his horse that was killed by the detectives. Arrived at home Abrams was secreted behind a dresser. He had practically run the whole distance, and when Sheriff Saling and his posse, with the railroad detectives, came up to the house soon after his arrival, he was in a faint. However, when he knew that escape was impossible, he made a bold attempt to stand off his captors with a revolver. The officers had the drop on him and he finally gave in. After he was handcuffed the search for the other bandits was resumed. At the farm of Mrs. [illegible] Overfield, who had crawled under the bed. The house was first surrounded, then a delegation sent in to make the search. Mrs. Toll and her two daughters stoutly denied that Overfield was in the house. Overfield showed fight when discovered, but before he could use a revolver he was grabbed by one of the officers. A struggle ensued with the bandit, but he was finally overpowered. Then both the men, with two brothers of Overfield, upon whom also suspicion rests, were handcuffed and taken to Memphis. The search for the remainder of the gang is being kept up. The examination of the four men now under arrest will take place to-morrow.

Inter-State Fair.

For the Inter-State Fair at Tacoma, the steamer City of Kingston has made a round trip rate of $5.70, including two admissions to the fair.

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LACROSSE.

PRINTERS TO PLAY A GAME.

The appended challenge was issued yesterday:

To the Sporting Editor of the Times: The employees of the Province Publishing Co. hereby challenge the employees of the Colonist Printing and Publishing Co. to play a friendly game of lacrosse at the Caledonia grounds on a date to be fixed upon between the captains of the respective teams.

C. L. CULLIN, Captain.

Before there was time to publish the Saturday. The teams, captains, colors and and it was arranged to play the match on Saturday. The teams, ctptains, colors and referee are named below:

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